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- 3. Drawings, sheets (Figs.)
- 4. Two Assignments for recording to: Lonza Ltd. and Kansas State [X] University Research Foundation
- 5. Applicant claims small entity status. PARTIAL REFUND of all fees paid within last 2 months is REQUESTED.
- 6. A copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application.

Priority is claimed for this application, corresponding application/s having been filed as follows:

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[] are enclosed

[] will follow.

[] were filed in a previous application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Basic Fee				\$740.00
Total Claims	15 - 20	- 0 = 0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	5 - 3	- 0 = 2	x \$84.00	\$168.00
Multiple Depende	ent Claims	- if so, add	\$280.00	\$0.00
Surcharge for late submission of filing fee and/or declaration (\$130.00)				\$130.00
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
 Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$168.
 - \$168 for 2 independent claims over 3.
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